



Wyoming Department of Education

Dr. Jim McBride, Superintendent of Public Instruction

Hathaway Building, 2nd Floor, 2300 Capitol Avenue

Cheyenne, WY 82002-0050

Phone 307-777-7673 Fax 307-777-6234 Website www.k12.wy.us

MEMORANDUM NO. 2008 - 180

TO: School District Superintendents

FROM: Jim McBride, Ed.D.

DATE: December 5, 2008

SUBJECT: National Child ID Program

PARTICIPATION REQUESTED

Earlier this week, the Department received its last shipment of National Child ID Kits. By now, all districts should have received more than enough kits to cover their K-12 population.

Please discuss these kits with your staff and have them support and encourage student and parent involvement.

The expectation is that every student is given a kit to take home to his/her parent or guardian. The ultimate goal is to have as many parents as possible participate. This will maximize the chances for authorities to recover a child should he or she be abducted or become separated from home.

For questions or additional kits, please contact Bruce Hayes, School Facilities Safety Consultant at bhayes1@educ.state.wy.us or 307-777-6198. Thank you for your willingness to help keep kids safe.

Additional information about the program can be found at www.childidprogram.com.

JM:BH